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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Hanjun Luo et al.  
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**RESPONSE AFTER FINAL ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action mailed October 17, 2007, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.